

For: State and County Offices

Rescinding Historical Irrigated Percentage (HIP) Reconstitution Policy

Approved by: Deputy Administrator, Farm Programs



1 Overview

A Background

Notice CM-766 provided that HIP must be the same for each covered commodity on farms being combined.

B Purpose

This notice provides notification that the policy requiring covered commodities to have similar HIP's for farms to be combined is **rescinded**.

2 2015 HIP Combination Policy

A Policy

Farms in counties where the applicable covered commodity is subject to HIP may be combined with any other farm provided the policies in 10-CM and Notice CM-766 are satisfied.

B County Office Action

County Offices will:

- process reconstitutions according to this policy, the remaining policies provided in 10-CM and Notice CM-766
- manually compute HIP on the resulting farm or farms according 1-ARCPLC, paragraph 119.

Disposal Date	Distribution
December 1, 2015	State Offices; State Offices relay to County Offices
